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### AGED BROOD SOWS ARE BEST

Regular Breeders With Large Litters and Who Take Good Care of Pigs Are Proper Ones to Keep.

Sows that are regular breeders, farrow large litters and take good care of the little pigs, should be kept until they fail to be good producers. The principal test of whether a sow is a good milker or not is the thrift of her pigs, and her condition while suckling them. If they thrive, and she eats liberally and keeps in good health and digestion, and at the same time becomes a little thin while nursing her pigs, it is pretty good evidence that she is a good mother and should be kept as long as her usefulness lasts.

A regular breeder and a good mother is worth fully \$50, and is a valuable animal.

The young brood sow usually improves as she matures, so that better results may be expected the second year.

Very little progress can be made in building up a good herd of hogs if the policy is to dispose of the young sows after they have farrowed one or two litters. Young sows are,



Champion Red Duroc Sow.

as a rule, not as dependable producers as matured sows. They will, however, develop as they mature, and can often be retained a number of years to advantage.

Young sows do not farrow as strong litters and they are usually smaller than those from the mature sows.

Young sows that are growing should be fed more liberally than older ones. The latter, if they have a warm, dry pen to sleep in, with plenty of dry leaves or straw for bedding, will require very little food.

We feed our brood sows principally on bran soaked in water and whole oats. We always raise a few stock beets and cabbage to feed when grass cannot be had. Keep an abundant supply of wood ashes, charcoal made from burnt corn cobs in the feeding room. One of our most successful breeders keeps his brood sows in ten-acre woods and grass pasture the year round.

### TEACHING THE COLT TO LEAD

Take the Little Fellows When They are Young and Easily Taught—Don't Get in a Hurry.

(By M. COVERDELL)

You often see a man kick and cuff the colt around, every time it happens to get in his way.

After a while you will notice this same fellow out with the family helping him to hem up a two-year-old colt, while he can put a halter on him.

For the first two or three times they get the halter on, they have a regular circus in teaching the animal to lead and be haltered. It is mighty hard and dangerous work, too, this breaking in big, strong two-year-old colts.

Why not take the little fellows in hand when they are small, easily handled and quick to learn? Slip the halter on the colt occasionally and by slow degrees get it accustomed to leading up, when the lead strap is tightened and you move.

But don't get in a hurry. The colt has been used to going ahead of you, so don't expect it to follow too soon.

A lump of sugar, or a few oats held in the hand just in front of the little fellow are much better trainers in teaching it to lead than dragging it by the lead strap and having someone behind it with a club or a fishing pole to "shoo" it along.

Value of Roughage.

The nutritive value of winter roughage for stock depends in a large measure upon its palatability. This is a point that should be given more consideration in making up the grain ration for the stock.

Good Investment.

The pure-bred mare is a good investment to the small farmer, and it will allow her to share the work of the place she will do nearly as

### She Broke Down Entirely.

Lantz, W. Va.—Mrs. Tebe Talbott, of this place, says: "I had been troubled with womanly ailments for some time, and at last I broke down entirely. I got so weak I could scarcely walk across the room. Thanks to Cardui, I improved right off. Now I do my housework, and am feeling well." During the past 50 years, more than a million women have been benefited by taking Cardui. You must believe that Cardui will help you, too, since it helped all these others. Cardui is a safe, harmless, vegetable remedy, of positive, curative merit for women. At drug stores. Try one bottle. It will surely help you.—Advertisement.

### Preferred Locals

Old newspapers for sale here.

Frost-Proof Cabbage Plants at Metcalfe's Greenhouse. Advertisement.

See J. H. Dagg for contracting building and general repair work of all kinds. Phone 476. Advertisement.

Good morning! Have you seen The Courier? Evansville's best paper. Advertisement.

Church Hill Mineral Water delivered Tuesday and Saturday of each week. Phone 633-1. Advertisement.

Three fine suites of office rooms finished to suit renter, as nice as any in the city. Light and airy, with hot water heat.—T. L. METCALFE, Florist.—Advertisement.

### Ham Sacks.

Ham sacks for sale at this office.

### Lumber For Sale.

Apply to O. M. Wilson, Howell, Ky. Phone 621-4.—Advertisement.

### Sack Your Ham.

Time to sack your hams. Sacks for sale at this office.

### For Sale.

An Overland Car in perfect condition, for further information call 575.—Advertisement.

### Barred Rock Eggs.

A few settings of high class Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for sale at \$1.50 for 15. Standard Poultry Co. Phones 94 or 449.

### Estray Notice.

Taken up as estray one 1-eyed bay mare, 34½ hands high.

MRS. LAURA BURRIS, Hopkinsville, Ky., R. 2—Phone 141-2. Advertisement.

### For Sale

Four H. P. Gasoline tank cooled International engine, in good condition, at a very low price. May be seen at PLANTERS HDW. CO. Incorporated. Advertisement.

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## DAIRY



### BUSINESS OF WINTER DAIRY

Adapted to Peculiar Conditions and Localities—Special Attention to Products When Highest.

(By W. MILTON KELLY.)

Good farming consists of making a profit out of the farm and at the same time leaving it better at the end of each year than it was at the beginning.

One of the mistakes that we often make when we are measuring the success of a farmer is when we consider only his net profits for the year.

This measure is not correct unless we take into account how much he has drawn from his capital stock, the fertility of his farm, the buildings, machinery and implements. It must also supply him a comfortable living for his family.

Dairying is of two kinds, winter and summer dairying, and each is adapted to peculiar conditions and localities. Summer dairying is best adapted to lands where grass growing is the most important feature and on cheap lands that are not productive of large crops of grain and fodder.

The cows are bred to come in about a month before they are turned out in the spring, and fed just enough to keep them healthy during the winter. This system of dairying does not require as expensive buildings as winter dairying and is as profitable.

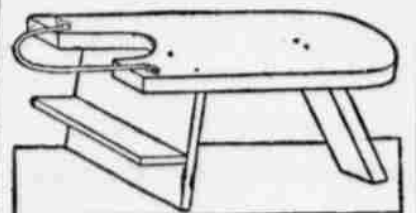
Winter dairying implies giving special attention to the production of milk and dairy products in winter when these productions are highest. The cows freshen in the fall and are fed grain and commercial foodstuffs in connection with their fodders and hay and by consuming considerable purchased grains it adds a large amount of fertility to the farm.

Some advocate summer dairying and some claim that winter dairying is the most profitable; but my experience convinces me that all-the-year-around dairying is more profitable than either, as it brings in about the same amount of money each month when it is conducted properly and the cows can be made to give milk all of the time, with the exception of six weeks or two months before they are due to freshen.

### EASY TO MAKE MILK STOOL

Pail is Kept Close to Cow's Udder and There is Little Danger of It Being Knocked Over.

It is not a great deal of trouble to make a milk stool that keeps the pail up close to the cow's udder, and at the same time holds it so that there is



Handy Milk Stool, Not Easily Tipped Over.

little danger that it will be knocked over, writes Chester M. Wilson in Farmers' Mail and Breeze.

The front leg of this stool has a projecting rest upon which the pail is placed to keep it from the ground. The front is hollowed to receive the pail, which is held in place by a wire loop.

### VALUE OF SILAGE FOR FEED

Corn and Clover Contain Greatest Percentage of Dry Matter—Roots Contain 90 Per Cent. Water.

(By R. R. GRAV'S, Dairy Department, Oregon Experiment Station.)

The relative value of roots, kale and silage—the usual sources of succulence for winter feeding—depends upon their composition, comparative feeding values, cost of production, keeping qualities and convenience of feeding.

The total digestible nutrients in one ton of corn silage is 326 pounds. In a ton of red clover silage the total is 234 pounds, but the nutritive ratio is 1 to 6.9, while in corn it is 1 to 11. The digestible nutrients in a ton of sugar beets is 224 pounds, with a ratio of 1 to 8.5. In rutabagas the total is 186 pounds to the ton, with a ratio the same as that of sugar beets. The digestible nutrients in a ton of kale are but 139 pounds, while the ratio is very narrow—1 to 2.8. It is also true that the nutrients of apple pomace silage are pretty high, about 216 pounds to the ton. Their nutritive ratio is the widest of any of the common winter succulents, being 1 to 15.3.

The corn and clover silage contain the greatest percentage of dry matter, while kale and some of the roots contain 90 per cent water. One ton of corn silage contains as much digestible nutrients as a ton and a half of sugar beets, 1.8 tons rutabagas or car-

## Hopkinsville Market Quotations.

Corrected March 10, 1915.

### RETAIL GROCERY PRICES.

Country lard, good color and clean 14c and 15c per pound.  
Country bacon, 16c per pound.  
Black-eyed peas, \$3.50 per bushel.  
Country shoulders, 12½c pound.  
Country hams 22c per pound.  
Irish potatoes, \$1.00 per bushel.  
Northern eating Rural potatoes, \$1.00 per bushel.  
Texas eating onions, \$1.75 per bushel, new stock.  
Dried Navy beans, \$4.00 per bushel.  
Cabbage, new, 2½ cents a pound.  
Dried Lima beans, 60c per gallon.  
Country dried apples, 10c per pound, 3 for 25c.  
Dairy cream cheese, 25c per pound.  
Full cream brick cheese, 25c per pound.  
Full cream Limberger cheese, 25c per pound.

Popcorn, dried on ear, 2c per pound.  
Fresh Eggs 20c per doz.  
Choice lots fresh, well-worked country butter, in pound prints, 3½c.

### FRUITS.

Lemons, 25c per dozen.  
Navel Oranges 20c to 40c per doz.  
Bananas, 15c and 25c doz.  
Cash Price Paid For Produce.

### POULTRY.

Dressed hens, 13c per pound.  
Dressed cocks, 7c per pound.  
Live hens, 10c per pound; live cocks 4c per pound; live turkeys, 11c per pound.

ROOTS, HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW.  
Prices paid by wholesale dealers to butchers and farmers:

Roots—Southern ginseng, \$5.75 lb.  
"Golden Seal" yellow root, \$1.35 lb.  
Mayapple, 3½; pink root, 12c and 13c.  
Tallow—No. 1, 4½; No. 2, 4c.  
Wool—Burry, 10c to 17c; Clear Grease, 21c, medium, tub washed 23c to 30c; coarse, dingy, tub washed 18c.

Feathers—Prime white goose, 60c; dark and mixed old goose, 15c to 30c; gray mixed, 15c to 30c; white duck 25c to 35c, new.

Hides and Skins—These quotations are for Kentucky hides. Southern rein hides 8c. We quote assorted dry flint, 12c to 14c. 9-10 better demand.

Dressed geese, 11c per pound for choice lots, live 5½.

Fresh country eggs, 15 cents per dozen.

Fresh country butter 25c lb.

A good demand exists for spring chickens, and choice lots of fresh country butter.

### HAY AND GRAIN.

No. 1 timothy hay, \$24.00  
No. 1 clover hay, \$20.00  
Clean, bright straw hay, 15c bale.  
Alfalfa hay, \$20.00  
White seed oats, 54c  
Black seed oats, 53c  
Mixed seed oats, 65c  
No. 2 white corn, 90c  
Winter wheat bran, \$26.00

## COOK'S DRUG STORE

VICTROLAS AND RECORDS  
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